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Resolutions in memoriam, of thanks, tributes of respect, resolutions adopted by societies or persons, unless of public concern, will only be printed in the paper as advertisements.

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ANOTHER CHAPTER IN FAMOUS TRAGEDY.

Dr. James W. Simpson, the dentist, who was tried and acquitted in Riverhead, N. Y., for the murder of his father-in-law, Bartley T. Horner, in 1907, was shot by the dead man's widow in Northport late yesterday afternoon as he tried to enter the Horner homestead to see his wife. Two shots were fired, the second shot striking Dr. Simpson in the left side near the lung. Dr. Simpson was removed to Roosevelt Hospital in New York, while Mrs. Ella Horner was released on $5,000 bail by order of the district attorney.

Upon learning that it was her husband who had been wounded Mrs. Simpson refused to go near him, and Dr. Simpson had to crawl to a house 200 feet away to have his wound attended to.

The bullet lodged in his liver, and an immediate operation was performed to take the bullet out The doctors say that Dr. Simpson has only a small chance of recovering.

This second tragedy at the Horner homestead is only another chapter in a series of unhappy domestic events of the last few years. The shooting of Bartley T. Horner by Dr. Simpson aroused the countryside in December, 1905, and when the dentist was put on trial his wife took the witness stand against him. Mrs. Horner also gave damaging testimony. The doctor was charged with having an object in the removal of his father-in-law, and that he shot him to prevent him from making a new will.

After the verdict of acquittal, Dr. Simpson resumed to the practice of dentistry in New York, but he had lost many of his clients, and of late, it is said, he has sought pecuniary aid.

Mrs. Simpson said that while she was not present when her mother fired the shot at Dr. Simpson, she believed her mother was absolutely justified, and said Dr. Simpson got what he deserved.

"When my mother ordered Dr. Simpson off the place he made out as though to put his hand in his pistol pocket," said Mrs. Simpson. "Mother believed he was going to shoot her, so she shot him."

Dr. Simpson is a Virginian.

BODY IDENTIFIED.

Further investigation yesterday revealed beyond the shadow of a doubt that Miss Hazel I. Drew, the pretty 19-year-old daughter of John Drew, of Troy, N. Y., whose body was found Sunday in Teals pond, about ten miles from Troy, was murdered.

Doctors made a careful examination of the body and found that the girl had died of a blow on the back of the head with some blunt instrument; that the body had been in the water at least a week, and the district attorney's office further says there may have been an attack before the girl was killed.

The girl, when last seen alive by her relatives, last Monday, said she was going to visit a friend in Watervliet. She left home carrying a suit case, wearing gold nose glasses, and carrying an umbrella. Not one of these articles has been found. The body was taken to Troy yesterday and buried.

Near the pond was found the girl's hat, and through it was stuck her hatpin, on which was the initial "H." The condition of the hat would indicate that the dead girl had been dragged, head downward, through the woods and underbrush. The hat caught in some obstruction and the pin pulled through her hair.

The spot where the body was found is lonesome, and few visit it. It is in Rensselaer county, about ten miles from Troy. The pond is familiarly known as Teal's pond, and lies about two and one-half miles north of Sand Lake settlement. It is shallow and dark, and lies near the roadway, which is narrow and bordered by clumps of bushes.

POISONED CANDY.

A box containing several pounds of choice chocolates, and believed to be saturated with cyanide of potassium, is now in the hands of Walter F. Owen, of York, Pa. It was sent to Miss Amelia Shepp, a pretty York girl, who holds a position with a moving-picture show in that city. It is thought to have been sent by a jealous lover, who is infatuated with the young lady and fears that her affection may be stolen by another. In order to deliver the package, the mysterious donor employed a newsboy, paying him $1 for the errand. The candy was punctured, and several pieces were so placed in the box as to spell the word "Love." A crude examination by friends indicated that a liquid form of poison had been poured over the candy.

The young woman, fearing that she might be a victim the same as Dr. Wilson, concluded to turn the box of candy over to the authorities.

Kodol will without doubt help anyone who has stomach disorders or stomach troubles Take Kodol today and continue it for the short time that is necessary to give you complete relief. Kodol is sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

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Low Week-End Round Trip Fares.

Continuing each Saturday and Sunday to and including October 4, the Southern Railway announces the sale of low rate week-end tickets for the round trip, Washington and Alexandria to Somerset, Warrenton, Harrisonburg, Bluemont and intermediate points, and from these stations to Alexandria and Washington, limited returning until Monday following date of sale.

Annual Meeting Grand Lodge, B. P. O. Elks, Dallas, Tex., July 12-18.

On account of the above the Southern Railway has arranged low round trip rates from all coupon points on its lines Dates of sale July 9, 10 and 11; return limit leaving Dallas not later than August 8. Stop-overs west of Mississippi river on going trip only. For further information consult nearest Southern Railway agent or write I S Brown, General Agent, Washington, D. C.

Summer School for Colored Teachers

From June 29 to July 28 there will be held at the Manassas Industrial School, Manassas, a Summer Institute for colored teachers. This school will be conducted under the auspices of the Department of Public Instruction of the State. An examination will be conducted at the close of the session by Dr H. M. Clarkson, County Superintendent of Schools. For information as to terms and course of study, write LESLIE PINCKNEY HILL, Conductor, Manassas, Va

Reduced Rates

Summer School of the South, Knoxville, Tenn., June 23-July 31, 1908—Dates of sale June 21, 22, 23, 27, 28; July 4, 5, 11 and 19. Return limit 15 days from, but not including date of sale.

Summer School, Athens, Ga., June 29-July 31, 1908—Dates of sale June 27, 28, 29; July 4, 6, 11 and 18. Final return limit 15 days from, but not including date of sale.

Tourist Excursion Fares.

The Southern Railway announces effective June 1st resumption of sale of tourist excursion tickets to points in Virginia, North and South Carolina, Tennessee, etc., and return. These tickets will be on sale daily until September 30; final return limit October 31, unless otherwise specified. For further information apply to nearest coupon ticket agent, Southern Railway.

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A HEROINE.

Cora Hosford, 14 years of age, proved herself a heroine last Sunday at Washougal, Wash., by rescuing her father and uncle from a watery grave. The girl, with her father, Capt. Pern Hosford, a well-known river captain; W. B. Patterson, her uncle, who is chief weigher in the custom-house in Portland, and Mildred Long, her half sister, were in swimming. The Long girl became exhausted and Captain Hosford went to her assistance. The girl's struggle exhausted him, and he cried for help, and Patterson went to assist him. Captain Hosford himself was exhausted, and, with rare heroism, little Miss Hosford, realizing his predicament, swam to him and bore him in safety to the shore. By this time Patterson had become exhausted in his efforts to save the struggling girl, and just in the nick of time his doughty little niece plunged into the water and swam to him. Patterson was exhausted, but the girl seized her uncle by his hair and towed him to shore, where he was resuscitated. To cap it all she went back and secured the body of the Long girl. The latter, however, was past reviving, though physicians summoned from Washougal worked for half an hour over her.

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TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 14, 1908.

MANY democrats who voted for Palmer and Buckner in 1896, regarding the coinage issue as the most important question of the time, supported Mr. Bryan in 1900. Others who still regarded silverism as a danger in 1900 have no further fear of it, and will give the present ticket their heartiest support, says the Philadelphia Record. Controller Metz, of New York, who was an alternate to the sound money convention at Indianapolis in 1896, was in Denver last week, and as he took the train he said: "I am already shouting for Bryan and Kern. I like to ride on the winning band wagon, and I can't see that the Taft-Sherman combination has a chance." John De Witt Warner, who was chairman of the New York State committee of the Palmer and Buckner organization in 1896, supported Bryan in 1900 and says: "I shall do everything I can to support the democratic ticket this fall. Free silver was the sole issue on which I could not support Mr. Bryan." On the whole he regards the democratic platform as "far superior to the republican platform."

MR. BEYAN has telegraphed a statement denying the statement made by Thomas E. Watson, of Georgia, alleging that Bryan had stated when in Congress that he could not and would not cast his vote for a Confederate veteran. Mr. Bryan states as a matter of fact that he did vote for a Confederate veteran for speaker of the house three times in the fifty-second and fifty-third Congresses, that he recommended a Confederate veteran for a postoffice job while in Congress, and that he had sustained the best relations with veterans generally. Mr. Bryan will have his hands full if he undertakes to answer all the false reports that will be started against him during the campaign.

IN the Panama election on Sunday Obaldia got all the votes because the friends of Arias kept away from the polls. Because they kept away it was not necessary to station marines at the voting places, and, per contra, it was because the marines were close at hand that the supporters of Arias stayed from the polls, says the Philadelphia Record. If the president could only conduct elections in the United States as he can in Panama he would feel no apprehensions regarding the election of his friend William Howard Taft.

MR. HERMAN RIDDER, president of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, has written a letter to the president invoking his aid "in our efforts to stop the oppression of the paper combinations." But as this is not in accord with Mr. Roosevelt's policies and as Mr. Ridder has announced his intention of supporting Mr. Bryan his appeal will have little force with the president.

THE French Parliament adjourned yesterday thereby postponing the consideration of the income tax, old age pensions and restoration of the death penalty bills until the autumn session. The weather was too hot for the consideration of such serious matters.

THE Glass Bottle Blowers Association of the United States and Canada owns nearly $300,000 in United States government bonds—the largest amount held by any labor organization in the world. In the association there are few strikes.

THE allegation that women are drinking more now than formally was the basis of the Ohio prohibition chairman's attack on woman suffrage. And the habit is not confined to Ohio.

IT IS proposed in Georgia to make pre-nuptial padding with intent to deceive a ground for divorce. The bill is probably entitled "An Act to Promote Physical Culture."

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, July 14.

Plans for the restoration and maintenance of order in Central America were the subject of a series of conferences today of Secretary Bacon with Ambassador Creel, of Mexico, and the minister of the republics. Minister Calve, of Costa Rica, and Minister Corea, of Nicaragua, called on Secretary Bacon early in the day. Ambassador Creel came afterward by appointment. It is understood that the plan under discussion was one agreed upon by President Roosevelt, Secretary Root and Assistant Secretary Bacon at Oyster Bay. Emphatic notice was given the Central American republics that their governments must observe neutrality or be disciplined. If the good offices of the United States and Mexico fail to bring this about it is probable that both countries will send gunboats and possibly a force of marines to see that neutrality is observed.

Another warning is given American farmers and millers by United States Special Agent M. H. Davis as to the necessity for a rigid grading of wheat and flour. He points out that there is decided doubt in Great Britain regarding the quality of American wheat due largely to the fact that in 1904 when American wheat was damaged by rust, flour made from this wheat was shipped abroad under the same brand as flour of previous years made from first class wheat.

The Interstate Commerce Commission today placed its first interpretation of the "switch provision" of the Hepburn act in connection with the complaint of the Rahway Valley Railroad against the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western. The latter is ordered to grant a switch connection with the Rahway road. The complaint in the case is a railroad operating in Union county, N. J., and connecting with the D., L. & W. at Summit, N. J. The latter company refused switch connections at that place, and complainant was made to force their connection. The commission decides that there is sufficient business to warrant such a connection, and that it is practicable, and orders the swith put in by the defendant.

So high has become the price of other meats in Brussels, Belgium, according to a report of United States Consul-General Ethelbert Walls, that horse meat has secured a well established place on all tables. The consul-general points out that the importation of horses for food is increasing annually, in 1906, the number reaching more than 26,000. It is hinted that the United States Department of Agriculture will investigate horse meat with a view of recommending its use here.

The number of U. S. army posts along the Mexican border will probably be permanently increased as the result of a concerted plan on the part of the two governments to prevent any further revolutionary uprisings.

A number of changes in the stations of the officers of the corps of engineers were ordered today by the War Department as the result of the recent appointment of Col. Marshall as head of the corps.

United States District Attorney Sherman T. McPherson, of Cincinnati, Ohio, held a conference yesterday with Attorney General Bonaparte regarding the whisky regulations suits in that city. The answer of the government to the suits in equity against the enforcement of the new regulation of the treasury department will be filed soon and it was in regard to this that the Ohio attorney desired the advice of the attorney-general.

Another attempt was made to burn the lumber yards of Eisinger Bros. at 2037 seventh street last night. There is no doubt but that these fires were of incendiary origin. The loss last night was slight.

THE NAVAL MILITIA.

With a view to increasing the efficiency of the naval militia of the states bordering on the Atlantic coast, arrangements have been perfected by the Navy Department for combined maneuvers this summer. The first series will be held in Hampton Roads, beginning next Saturday.

Naval reserves of the District of Columbia, Virginia, Maryland, North Carolina and the Camden division of the naval militia of New Jersey will participate in the exercises, which will continue for eight days.

The cruiser Yankee, the Prairie and a flotilla of torpedo boats and submarines will participate in the drills.

The Yankee is now lying off this city and will sail on Thursday with the District of Columbia naval reserves and such members of the reserves from Maryland and Virginia who present themselves.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

During the thunderstorm Sunday night lightning struck the residence of Mrs. Samuel B. Wilson, at Plum Point, near Prince Frederick, Md., on the Chesapeake bay, and instantly killed James J. Hance, aged 35 years, one of the occupants of the house.

He was in a room on the first floor of the dwelling with seven other persons when the bolt struck the chimney and wrecked the room above, tearing away the mantel, breaking the windows and tearing up the floor. The room in which the eight persons were gathered was also greatly damaged, and Miss Hance, daughter of Richard Hance, was stunned by the lighting. The light in the room was extinguished by the electrical current. A large tree 10 feet away from the house was shattered by the lightning.

Ellen Hall, colored, living near Waterbury, in the vicinity of Annapolis, Md., was killed by lightning Sunday night. She was moving a barrel of flour from a small window in the house when struck. Several children were in the room at the time, but were unhurt. The husband was upstairs in bed and was covered with plaster.

Testing Airship.

Berlin, July 14.—Count Zeppelin, with fifteen guests aboard his giant airship, ascended at Friederichshaven today for a 24-hours aerial cruise, the crucial test of all his numerous aeronautic ventures. Zeppelin hopes to prove by this test that he can travel 1,000 miles within 24 hours and at all times keep his airship under perfect control.

Count Zeppelin, was compelled to land after having been in the air less than three hours. The ship started out all right and for forty minutes maintained an average speed of 70 miles an hour and for two hours an average speed of sixty miles an hour. Then something went wrong and the Count regretfully had to turn back to Friederickshaven.

WILL HOLD UNION MEETING.

A union meeting of secret order members will be held on Wednesday at Charity Church, Pungo Ridge, Princess Anne county, under the auspices of Charity Council, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, with a free dinner, addresses and ceremonies.

The occasion is expected to bring together many of the secret order members of this section, including Odd Fellows, Red Men, Rebekahs, Daughters of America, and Pythians, Colonel George C. Cabell and Mr. J. R. Mansfield, of Alexandria, will be among the speakers. A number of speakers from Knot's Island will also be present.—[Norfolk Landmark.

Jack Gormley, the burglar and assailant who is said to have looted fifty flats in Harlem and who gave himself up only when his wife had haggled out a promise of practical immunity from the police, today pleaded guilty to burglary in the third degree, Judge Foster remanded him until Thursday for sentence. Under the terms of his wife's bargain, Gormley cannot be given more than seven years.

New York Stock Market.

New York, July 14.—Moderate recessions from the initial quotations marked the first few minutes of trading.

There was a fair development of strength in the last half of the forenoon.

News of the Day.

The Prince of Wales will arrive July 21 for the tercentenary at Quebec.

The price of hogs on the Chicago market reached $7.05 yesterday the record price for the year. No relief is promised for six months or more.

Heat killed two men and a woman in Brooklyn today and there were scores of prostrations throughout Greater New York. At noon the thermometer stood at 86.

Judge Alton B. Parker is to stump for Wm. J. Bryan. In an interview at Helena, Mont., today, he said he believed Bryan had a good chance to carry New York this year.

Charles K. Ostranger, formerly a partner of Bourke Cockran, committed suicide yesterday, at Mount Vernon, N. Y., by inhaling illuminating gas. He was worth $500,000. There was no cause known for the act.

Dr. William Osler, physician, scientist, and the man to whom more or less erroneously has been imputed the celebrated "Osler age-limit theory," entered upon his sixtieth year—the limit according to the theory—yesterday.

Virginia News.

The wedding of Miss Lucy Clair Atkinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Atkinson, to Judge Sidney Johnston Dudley, a prominent member of the Hampton bar, was solemnized in St. Peter's Catholic Church, Richmond, yesterday evening. Bishop Van de Vyver, assisted by Father Magri, of Richmond, and Father Donahoe, of Hampton, officiated.

The horse show given by the Daughters of the Confederacy took place at Middleburg, Saturday afternoon, and was in every way a success. Miss Louise Haxall, with Stepabout, carried off the honors in the ladies' driving class, which was hotly contested, Mrs. S. P. Luck, with Brownie, getting second place. The silver cup given by Mrs. Sands for the best green hunter was captured by Mr. William Skinner, on Lightning.

Mrs. A. M. Fauntleroy died at Staunton yesterday aged 65 years. She was Miss Sallie Conrad, of Winchester, and widoow of Dr. Fauntleroy, at one time superintendent of the Western State hospital. She leaves four daughters—Miss Annie McGill Fauntleroy, Mrs. R. Kennon Clark and Misses Sallie and Lou Fauntleroy; also four sons—Conrad and Dr. Charles Fauntleroy, of the United States army; Dr. I. T. Fauntleroy and Dr. Archer Fauntleroy.

C. W. Browning, in charge of a squad of convicts on the road near Orange was yesterday morning attacked by five of the men, struck with a stone, knocked down and overpowered, after which the convicts took his guns and made their escape. Two of them were later captured near Madison Mills. The other three are still at large. They are believed to had taken to the fastness of the mountains. A large body of armed men is in pursuit. The escaped convicts are William Thomas, John Brown, Joe Hill, Edward Gibson, and Charles Allan.

SHRINERS IN SESSION.

Mystic Shriners made yesterday a galaxy of parades and music in St. Paul, and last night the gaily lighted streets were crowded with thousands of visitors who are there to attend the thirty-fourth annual conclave of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Mystic Shrine. Approximately, 15,000 Shriners were in the city when the sun set yesterday evening and during last night and today 10,000 more are expected to arrive.

Though the formal opening of the conclave does not take place until today social and entertainment features were in full swing yesterday. Osman Temple, of St. Paul, last night held a ceremonial session at the Auditorium, a building that seats 10,000 persons. While the visiting nobles were there, there wives and friends were attending theater parties or enjoying steamboat excursions.

The feature of the afternoon was a parade and review at Fort Snelling, in which the entire garrison took part. After the review, the barracks were thrown open to the inspection of visitors; and an informal reception, which was attended by Brigadier General Edgerly, department commander, was held at the Officers Club.

Many of the Shriners went from the fort to Minnehaha Falls, while others spent the afternoon visiting the parks in St. Paul and Minneapolis.

The culminating event of the week will occur tonight, when the electrical parade will start from the Capitol at 9 o'clock and march through streets that are festooned with 25,000 electric lights.

GIRL ATTACKED BY NEGRO.

News reached Roanoke yesterday of an alleged assault on the 11-year-old daughter of John Jamison, a well-to-do white farmer of the Sydnorsville neighborhood, Franklin county, by Will Finney, a negro with Indian blood in his veins.

The child was missing some hours from her home, and her father growing uneasy, went in search of her. He found in the road evidences of a struggle and tracks, which he followed for a quarter of a mile, when he came in sight of the negro, carrying the child in his arms and making for the woods. When the negro discovered that he was being pursued he threw his victim to the ground, hurled stones at Jamison, and escaped. The father picked up the half-conscious girl and carried her home.

She is mutilated about the head and face, the negro having tried to beat her into submission, but otherwise unharmed. When revived the girl told of her experience, and says she fought and scratched her assailant. Armed bands of enraged citizens are scouring the country for Finney, and it is predicted that if he is captured a lynching will follow.

DOES YOUR SCALP ITCH?

Are Your Hairs Dropping One by One

If your scalp itches you are doubtless suffering from dandruff. The dandruff germ is digging up your scalp in little flakes, called dandruff and sapping the life of the hair bulb. No hair preparation that is a mere stimulant and tonic will cure dandruff, because it wont kill the germ that causes the trouble. Newbro's Herpicide is the latest scientific discovery; and it will kill the dandruff germ. Destroy the germ and you will remove the effect; kill the germ and you will have no more dandruff, falling hair or baldness.

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Today's Telegraphic News

The Prohibitionists.

Columbus, Ohio, July 14.—It was still anybody's fight today for the presidential nomination of the prohibition party. The water wagon arranged by the local committee on arrangements went to work early on its mission of escorting the incoming delegations from the railroad stations to their hotels.

The wagon, a regulation city sprinkler, with wheels and gearing buried in bunting, was drawn by four white horses. Placards hung on the horses bore the names of the eight prohibition States: Maine, Kansas, North Dakota, Alabama, Oklahoma, Mississippi, North Carolina and Georgia. Tied behind the water wagon was a mule placarded: "Missouri two-thirds dry."

The definite announcement of Seaborn Wright, of Georgia, that he would not accept the presidential nomination was received with disappointment by those who have long been working to secure the consent of the democratic temperance leader of the south, but was mighty good news to other aspirants who want the nomination and regarded Wright as the greatest obstacle in their way.

Prof. Chas. Scanlon, of Pennsylvania, secretary of the field work for temperance of the Presbyterian Church, has been entered in the list for the presidential nomination.

Mr. Bryan's Notification.

Lincoln, Neb., July 14.—The democratic national committee has decided that the formal notification of Mr. Bryan will take place August 12 in Fairview. Mr. Kern will be notified in Indianapolis later on.

The national committee adopted a resolution refusing to accept any contributions over $10,000.

The members of the democratic national committee arrived here in a special train today and proceeded directly to Fairview to confer with the candidates of the party as to the management of the coming campaign.

The general sentiment of the committee as expressed was that Bryan should, after being officially notified, rest until Labor Day. On that date he is to make a speech in Chicago and after that, if the advices of the committee is followed, he will make a "whirlwind" tour of the doubtful states, especially Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Ohio, New York, New Jersey and Rhode Island.

The plan is, if is finally approved by the conferences now in session, to eclipse the 1896 record of speechmaking and put the issues, especially those bearing on labor matters, squarely before the constituencies that are admittedly doubtful.

Funeral of Bishop Curtis.

Baltimore, Md., July 14.—Solemn and impressive ceremonies were held over the remains of Bishop Alfred A. Curtis, late vicar-general of the Catholic Archdiocese of Baltimore, at the Cathedral this morning.

Cardinal Gibbons celebrated the pontifical requiem mass. Rev. John A. Lyon, of Wilmington, was assistant priest at the mass, and Rev. Thomas S. Lee, of Washington, was deacon. Bishop P. J. Donahue, of Wheeling, W. Va., preached the sermon, and Bishop John J. Monaghan, who succeeds Bishop Curtis as head of the diocese, presided during the office for the dead.

Among the prominent prelates present were Apostolic Delegate Diomedo Falconi, Archbishop Ryan, of Philadelphia; and Bishop Van de Vyver, of Richmond, Va.

Following the services at the Cathedral the body was immediately taken to the station and will be removed to Wilmington at 4 o'clock this afternoon, where it will rest within the limits of the Convent of the Visitation.

Poison Suspected.

Paterson, N. J., July 14.—Chemical analysis today is being made of the stomach of Mrs. Fannie Tapaik following a disinterment of the body in an effort to learn whether she was poisoned for insurance money. While the autopsy was performed in the Paterson morgue three sons of the dead woman, Louis, Nathan and George, who hold policies on her life, stood across the street to await the result. Later they were at the cemetery when the body was reinterred. They are being kept under surveillance pending the examination of the dead woman's body. Louis, who holds a policy of $5,000, has been sentenced to three years in Trenton prison for bigamy. He has already made efforts to collect the money, but was refused payment pending the inquiry into his mother's death.

Mutiny of Soldiers.

Constantinople, July 14.—The mutiny of the sultan's unpaid soldiers in various Macedonian garrisons is spreading and today the Turkish ruler, beside himself with rage, dispatched a new force to Monastir with orders to punish the deserters in the most relentless manner. The mutiny of the Monastir garrison, the strongest in Turkey, followed the rebellion of the garrison at Kastoria.

The Macedonia situation has thoroughly alarmed the sultan and he is pleading with his troops to stand firm in the suppression of the rebellion among the Macedonian troops.

Use DeWitt's Little Early Risers, pleasant little pills that are easy to take. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

For a Sane Fourth of July.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 14.—This city, having municipalized the street railways, will try another municipal experiment under the guidance of Mayor Tom L. Johnson. Fireworks were municipalized when the council passed an ordinance making it illegal for any one except the city government to buy, sell, or discharge fireworks, under a heavy penalty of fine and imprisonment. The city will buy its own fireworks and provide free exhibition in the principal city parks on July 4. The passage of the ordinance is a result of newspaper agitation for a "sane" fourth of July.

Boy's Life Saved.

My little boy, four years old, had a severe attack of dysentery. We had two physicians; both of them gave him up. We then gave him Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea remedy which cured him and believe that it saved his life.—William H. Strolling, Carbon Hill, Ala. There is no doubt that this remedy saves the lives of many children each year. Give it with castor oil according to the plain printed directions and a cure is certain. For sale by W. F. Creighton & Co. and Richard Gibson.

The Fourth Olympia.

London, July 14.—After watching the running of the American "milers" in the eight preliminary heats of the 1,500 meter run yesterday, the final of which was run today, the English athletes are counting on winning all the distance runs and are today declaring that their chances of first honors in the final outcome of the fourth Olympia are better than those of any other team.

England fears the American sprinters, especially as J. A. Rector, of the University of Virginia, and Lawrence Robertson, of the Irish-American team, are both reported to have broken records in their trial work.

John J. Flanagan, of the Irish-American team, won the final in the hammer throw today. McGrath was second and Walsh third.

C. J. Weintz, of America, won the third heat in the 20 kilometer bicycle race, his time being 33:39 4-5, much slower than either of the first two heats.

B. Jones, of England, won the fourth heat, and A. Hansen, of Sweden, won the fifth.

Melvin W. Sheppard, of America, won the 1,500 meter race. His time was 4:03 2-5, which equals the new Olympic mark made by the Englishman, N. F. Hallows in the third preliminary heat.

Returns to the Penitentiary.

Chicago, July 14.—William McCarty today starts of his own free will to serve out a fourteen-years sentence in the Indiana State prison in Michigan City, because a year or so ago he broke his parole. McCarty reached Chicago yesterday after traveling from North Yakima, Washn., in fulfillment of a written promise to Gov. Hanly of Indiana. He waited in the northwest just long enough to earn money for his railroad fare after he became converted in a Salvation Army meeting, in North Yakima.

Soon after his conversion, his conscience began troubling him and McCarty wrote to Gov. Hanly promising to return.

McCarty was sent to prison for burglary in Montpelier, Ind. His sentence was one to fifteen years at hard labor. After two years he was paroled and found a job. He got drunk and assaulted a man in a street fight. Knowing this would end his parole, he fled the state.

The Revolution in Persia.

Teheran, July 14.—According to messages received here today the revolutionists of Tabriz are making a desperate stand against the shah's troops on the outcome of which depends the temporary fate of the revolution. Rachin Khan is besieging Uminakhis district, where the rebels are concentrated, with machine guns and is meeting with fierce resistance from the hundreds of men entrenched behind barricades. The slaughter is the heaviest that has yet marked the uprising in Tabriz. The shah has given orders to Rashin Khan to make this the decisive engagement of the warfare, and the entire revolutionary quarter will be destroyed if the tide of battle favors the shah's troops.

Negroes Lynched.

Memphis, Tenn., July 14.—A mob of 1,500 or more persons fought for the possession of Hugh Jones, negro, who attempted assault on Miss Ora Yopps, aged 17 years, of Middletown, Tenn., at daybreak this morning. After four hours parleying the negro was strung up to a sapling tree. The negro was caught at La Grange and was being brought back to Middletown by special deputies when 100 men on horseback, none masked, appeared and force the officers to give up their prisoner. After securing possession, some of the members of the mob experienced a change of heart and wanted to take the prisoner to Middletown and turn him over to the officers, but were outnumbered.

Elk's Convention.

Dallas, Texas, July 14.—The first session of the convention of Elks was held today in the Opera House. Routine matters occupied most of the time. Active competition is developing for minor offices, and several lively contests are predicted; but Rush L. Holland, of Colorado Springs, Colo., will be chosen Grand Exalted Ruler without opposition. Today it is estimated 20,000 Elks and visitors are present. On Thursday the big day, when the parade will be held, it is expected that 50,000 will attend. Los Angels will likely get the next convention. Detroit is a lively competitor, but the rule of rotation usually followed will probably send the convention west.

Hired Assassins.

San Francisco, July 14.—Hired assassins, it was disclosed here today, are being employed by the San Francisco grafters in efforts to escape punishment for their looting of the city treasury. This was revealed when John Claudianes, who was arrested for dynamiting the house of James Gallagher, chief witness in the graft prosecutions, confessed that his brother, Peter, had been paid $1,000 to destroy Gallagher and that he himself carried out the abortive plan to murder. Having failed to kill Gallagher before, he said, it had been decided to wreck his house, hoping that in that way their murderous end might be attained.

Thieves Captured.

San Francisco, July 14.—Two daylight robbers found a lively time here today, when they attempted to steal the cash drawer of Frank Takahanhi's store. The thugs entered the place and without a word attacked its proprietor, beating him badly. Then while one held him the other made a dash for the cash drawer. Just at this juncture Attorney D. J. Donovan and C. L. Kenney, both of them husky men, came in and took a hand. The robber who held Takahanhi went down from a hard blow by Donovan and Kenney felled and sat on the other until the arrival of the police.

Taft's Speech of Acceptance.

Hot Springs, Va., July 14.—President Roosevelt's speech and letter in acceptance of the republican nomination are studied today by Candidate Taft as preparation for the actual writing of his own speech which will begin on Friday. It is explained, however, that Taft does not look to Roosevelt for precedents in everything, and frequent telegrams to Washington and elsewhere for books of reference promise a busy week for Private Secretary Carpenter and the three assistants who are compiling data for the candidate.

George W. Page, a prominent Pythian and Odd Fellow, who for years was a member of each of the grand lodges, died at Danville yesterday, aged 60. He was a Confederate veteran. He leaves four children.

Swallows Knife too Far.

Hazleton, Pa., July 14.—Emulating professional sword and knife-eaters who travel with side shows of circuses and dime museums, Charles Henry, a young miner of West Hazleton, swallowed a large table knife yesterday, and had to submit to an operation to have it taken from his stomach. The operation was performed at the State Hospital, and Henry is in a critical condition, but the doctor hopes to pull him through.

Henry, who is 25 years of age and single, frequently amused his friends by making knives disappear in his throat, but until this time had the knack of getting them out. Monday, as he was giving an exhibition with a table knife, he accidentally swallowed it. He saw a doctor, who, after being told the size of the knife, said an operation was the only means of relief.

Henry was afraid to stand the ordeal and returned home; but the knife gave him so much pain that he went to the State Hospital. The knife was ten inches long, with a wooden handle and a six-inch blade one inch wide, and sharp.

Women Deceivers.

Atlanta, Ga., July 14.—There promises to be a lively time in the Georgia Assembly this week when the bill introduced by Representative Glenn, of Whitfield, relating to the wiles and blandishments of women comes up for action. The measure, on which a favorable report has been ordered, provides that if any woman, whether maid or widow, shall betray into matrimony an unsuspecting male of this state by scents, paints, powder or perfumes, cosmetics, waters, artificial teeth, false hair, Spanish wool or any other kind of wool, iron stays, corsets, pads or padding, hoops or high-heeled shoes, low-cut waists, lingerie lace, variegated stitches or rainbow hosiery or by any other deceitful means or artful practices, the marriage, upon conviction, shall be null and void.

Mr. Glenn, the author of the bill, has been at a summer resort recently, and says such a law is needed.

All to go for Romance.

Laurel, Del., July 14.—Laurel young men had the surprise of their life when they found in their weekly paper the following advertisement:

GENTLEMEN WANTED—Two of Laurel's pretty and unsophisticated young ladies wish to meet two eligible young men in some romantic spot, Record's Mill Dam preferred, on Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock. All flirts and mashers ignored. ROMANCERS.

The editor of the paper refuses to divulge the names of the girls, but he insists that it is a bona fide advertisement and placed there in the best of faith. Just how many young men will respond to the demand is cause for comment. There is an expectation that nearly every young man in Laurel will be there, in spite of a dark suspicion that it is a trick on the part of some farmer to procure help for his farm.

Gave Up $500,000 to Wed.

Los Angeles, July 14.—Mrs. Carrie Derby Wayne has lifted the shroud of mystery in which she cloaked her secret marriage to Herbert N. Wayne, the wealthy broker, and casting aside all hope of acquiring the property to which she is conditionally an heir, declared last night:

"I married Mr. Wayne for the same reason that any woman should marry a man—because I loved him. I don't see why the public should be so dreadfully interested if we wanted to keep the wedding a secret."

In these words Mrs. Wayne saw a $500,000 fortune vanish. For by the will of her former husband Mrs. Derby Wayne stands to lose all her rights as an heir on remarriage.

Windstorm Reveals Fad.

Lincoln, Neb., July 14.—A windstorm which tore things up around Fairview recently has served to disclose a new fad which Lincoln's young women have taken up. The wind showed they are embroidering upon their hosiery portraits of great men, past and present. One girl, whose skirts were caught by the wind, had pictures of Washington, Bryan and Taft worked on her stockings, and blushingly admitted that "all the girls were taking up the idea."

Execution of a Murderer.

Newcastle, Pa., July 14.—Protesting his innocence to the end, Rosario Serge, aged 18 years, was hanged here today for the murder of Antonio Conti. Serge fatally stabbed Conti in June, 1907, following a quarrel over a girl. Serge claimed that Conti was the aggressor and that he used the knife in self defense.

The Market.

Georgetown D. C., July 14.—Wheat 72-88.

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INFORMATION NEEDED.

To the Editor of the Alexandria Gazette:

I notice an interview purporting to come from a member of the board of fire wardens in which it is stated that the request of the members of the Columbia Fire Engine Company asking permission to take the old reserve engine Columbia on a trip to the Harrisonburg convention would not be granted. I was present in council when this matter came up for action. It came from the secretary of the Columbia company—not from the board of fire wardens—and was referred to the joint committees on general laws and public property—not to the fire wardens. It is a proper question to ask: "What are the duties of the fire wardens, or have they any duties or responsibilities, except to get wet at fires and get dry the best they can?" When they buy hose—they're "not bought," and when a piece of property over which they should have exclusive control is asked for they are completely snubbed and the matter is referred to the committee on general laws—a committee that has as much to do with the matter as the republican party has with the making of the democratic platform. I would imagine that if the members of the Columbia company, whose work is a labor of love and who are often sneered at when doing the best they can, want to brush the "old reliable" up and put her in service, they should be commended. The talk of what a possible loss to property in case of the absence of this engine would mean might appeal to those who do not know. Where was this reserve engine on the night of the conflagration at the premises of T. F. Burroughs, Son & Co? Echo answers: Where? The boiler was in one end of the town, the wheels in another, and the engine was literally unserviceable. If the fire wardens have no rights that the council and fire companies are bound to respect the sooner they know it the better, for they are good citizens and would not seek notoriety through the columns of a newspaper which places them in a ridiculous light. They are fire wardens—yes—no. H.

A CARD.

To the Editor of the Alexandria Gazette:

I desire through your paper to extend my heartfelt appreciation of the many kind expressions of sympathy I have received from the good people of Alexandria now that the sable mantle hangs over my home. Alexandria has ever been to me a dear spot, and my heart ever and anon turns to my many friends and acquaintances in your city among whom I mingled for nearly a third of a century. I cannot reply to every one who has sent kind words of sympathy, and I therefore through the Gazette return my sincere thanks to all.

Respectfully,

J. V. DAVIS.

Antietam, July 13, 1908.

TO FILL DOCK.

Anyone having rubbish, diggings from cellars or any such material which they wish to dispose of can have it thrown in the dock adjoining the Old Dominion Boat Club property, which I am now filling in.

jy14 1w DEW AITCHESON.

HORSE STOLEN.

Stolen on Friday night, July 10, from my farm one mile southeast of Annandale, Fairfax county, a LIGHT SORREL MARE, seven years old, flax mane and tail, two white hind feet, white stripe on face, knot on left hind leg between ankle and hock on outside. Mare lies on left side. A suitable reward will be paid for her return to

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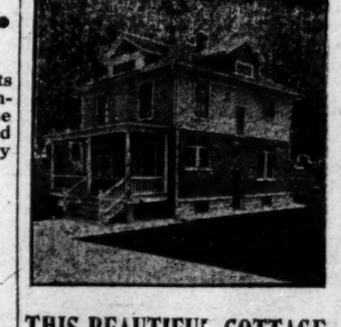

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TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 14, 1908

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 4:46 and set at 7.24. High water at 8:51 a. m. and 9:27 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section local showers tonight or Wednesday, slightly lower temperature; light to fresh winds, mostly westerly.

TOOK AN APPEAL.

A case which has been before the Police Court since the 4th instant, having been postponed from time to time, was disposed of this morning—that is so far as that tribunal is concerned. On the 3d instant Grace Winke, a young woman living in the southern section of the city, charged a young man named Frank Henderson with finding a pocketbook containing $6.25 which she had lost and retaining the same. The case was called the next day when the young man denied the charge. Several witnesses testified this morning, among whom was a young colored woman who swore positively that she saw Henderson pick up the pocketbook. Justice Caton in summing up the case said he would not pronounce judgment provided the accused reimbursed the young woman, but Mr. Robinson Moncure, who represented Henderson, said he would take an appeal. Justice Caton thereupon fined the accused $10, and he gave security for his appearance before the Corporation Court. Mr. S. G. Brent, Commonwealth's Attorney, conducted the prosecution.

ATTEMPTED ASSAULT.

Market people in this city this morning from Fairfax county tell of an attempted assault by a married colored man upon a young white woman near Baileys Cross Roads yesterday. They say that the colored man overtook the girl on the road and picking up a rock threatened to kill her if she did not accompany him to the woods nearby. The girl screamed and some people a short distance off, who had been attracted by the man's actions and had followed him, hearing her scream gave chase to the man who ran off and hid in the woods. Search was made for him during the night but up to an early hour this morning he had not been caught.

BOLD ACT OF A NEGRO.

Andrew Lomax, colored, stopped a young colored woman named Madaline Braxton at King and Lee streets about seven o'clock yesterday evening and attempted to denude her. He had taken the outer clothing from the woman when Lieutenant Smith appeared and asked him what he proposed to do with her. Lomax said all the woman wore belonged to him and he intended to take possession of her apparel. The lieutenant brought the procedure to a close by arresting Lomax. He was taken before the Police Court this morning and fined $5.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late Miss Katherine Bauer, daughter of the late George Bauer, and who died Sunday night at the Alexandria Hospital, took place this afternoon from Grace Church. Rev. Edgar Carpenter conducted the services. A list of the pallbearers was published yesterday.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Edwin L. Crump took place this afternoon from the residence, 1105 Prince street. Rev. Edgar Carpenter conducted the services.

ATTACKED BY A BUMBLE BEE.

A gentleman of this city had a singular experience yesterday with a bumble bee. He was standing in the yard attached to his place of business with his mouth partly open when the insect flew into it, and before the gentleman could spit it out the bee stung him under the tongue, leaving its weapon of attack in that member. After having been disgorged the insect made an attack on one of its victim's ears. The tongue began to swell and the services of a physician were required to extract the sting.

RIVER NOTES.

The three-masted schooner Mabel and Ruth from Newberne, N. C., with lumber to Smoot & Co., has arrived. The barges Farmer's Friend and Lily of the West, loaded with lumber for Fort Hunt, and the schooner J. P. Robinson, also loaded with lumber by Smoot & Co. for the lower river, have sailed.

The barge Patuxent, in tow of the tug Dauntless, from Baltimore, with kainit for the Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company, has arrived.

ARRESTED FOR BATHING.

Constable Payne, of Fairfax county, yesterday afternoon arrested James Brown and Randolph Diggs, colored boys, charged with bathing from Hunting creek bridge near this city. They were brought to this city and placed in the station house from which place they were taken this morning and arraigned before Justice Wright at New Alexandria. The darkeys were fined $1 and costs—that is, $4 60 each.

ALEXANDRIA ELECTRIC COMPANY.

The board of directors of the Alexandria Electric Company met this afternoon and elected Mr. T. C. Roderick, of Chester, Pa., superintendent of the works in place of Mr. A. J. Derrah, resigned. The latter will leave on Thursday for Rumford Falls, Me., to visit his family, and later will go to Van West, Ohio, where he will take charge of the public service corps.

SUMMER REDUCTION SALE.

Swan Bros., corner King and Pitt streets, will begin temorrow morning their annual midsummer reduction sale. Summer goods in all departments will be offered at much lower prices than those which have recently prevailed. There will also be a clearance sale of men's furnishings and a big remnant sale on Thursday as usual.

Twenty-Five Cents is the Price of Peace.

The terrible itching and smarting, incident to certain skin diseases, is almost instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Salve. Price, 25 cents. For sale by W. F. Creighton & Co. and Richard Gibson.

All want the best. The Hess, Walk Over, Red Cross, and Queen Quality Shoes are to be had at J. A. Marshall & Bro's., 422 King street. nov21 tf

PERSONAL.

Misses Ethel May Dix and Hazel Eleanora Ale left today for Salem, N. J., and Wilmington, Del., to be gone two months.

Mr. Thomas Hoy and family, who have resided in this city for many years, removed today to Washington, where they will make their future home.

Miss Ruth Ashton, who has been a guest of Mrs. E. M. Young, jr., in Fredericksburg, has returned to her home in this city.

Mrs. A. H. Smyth is spending the months of July, August and September in Bluemont.

Mrs. G. W. Javins, of 206 north Patrick street, is spending a delightful week with her mother, Mrs. T. H. Murphy, of Fairfax county.

Mrs. M. H. Sprouse, of Upperville, and Miss M. D. Murphy, of 222 south Alfred street, are spending two months with the latter's mother in Fairfax county.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the District of Columbia Paper Manufacturing Company held in Washington yesterday Mr. R. D. Marshall, of this city, was elected assistant secretary and treasurer. This is the largest blotting and cover paper manufactory in the south with a large foreign and domestic business.

Officers Henderson, Sampson and Bell started on their annual vacation today.

Mr. R. B. Henley, of Louisa county, was in the city today.

Miss Benita Bannister, of Grand Rapids, Mich., is visiting Miss Eleanor Field, at 805 King street.

Mr. L. Ruben left here this morning for Philadelphia and New York to buy his fall stock of goods.

The engagement is announced of Miss Rachel Elizabeth Palmer, of Aldie, Loudoun county, and Mr. Charles Franklin Creighton, of this city. The wedding will take place in August.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Henry Foster, colored, charged with being drunk and disorderly, was fined $10.

Andrew Lomax, colored, charged with assaulting Madaline Braxton, was fined $5.

William Hunter, colored, charged with assaulting Ollie Hunter, was dismissed, and the complainant fined $5.

Mary Pearson and Frances Swan, both colored, charged with disorderly conduct and fighting, were fined $5 each.

James Brown and Randolph Diggs, two colored boys, charged with swimming in Hunting creek, were turned over to the Fairfax authorities.

Frank Henderson, charged with finding and retaining a pocketbook containing $6.25 belonging to Grace Winke, was fined $10. An appeal was noted.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

An informal meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held last night at which some routine business was transacted. The next regular meeting will be held in September. The First National Bank and the Virginia Safe Deposit and Trust Company are now identified with the organization.

ST. SWITHIN'S DAY.

According to the old-time almanac and tradition, tomorrow, July 15, will be St. Swithin's Day which day fixes the weather, rain or fair, for six weeks. Whatever conditions prevail on July 15 will be kept up for forty days, according to believers in the old English tradition.

St. Swithin's Day, 'gin it be fair,
For forty days 'twill rain nae mair;
St. Swithin's Day, gin it shall rain,
For forty days it will remain.

CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY

[Judge J. B. T. Thornton, presiding.]

Vaughn vs. W., A. & Mt. V. Ry. Co., case continued because of the illness of a material witness.

The cases of Skillman, Ferguson and Bartley vs. W., A. & Mt. V. Ry. Co., demurrers filed by defendant in each case, which were sustained and leave given to amend, and cases continued.

Court adjourned till the October term.

THE WEATHER.

The promise of the weather bureau of cooler temperature by today has not been fulfilled up to this writing. Last night was one of the hottest of the season and at eight o'clock this morning registered 86°. It gradually ascended till at 3 o'clock it had reached the 95 mark.

TO NOMINATE A CANDIDATE.

A meeting of the republican congressional district committee was held at Sarepta Hall this afternoon. H. P. Dodge presided. It was decided to call a convention on August 29 at 1 o'clock p. m. at Sarepta Hall to nominate a candidate for Congress.

SUES FOR DIVORCE.

Lillian Williams filed suit in Washington yesterday for absolute divorce from J. Walter Williams, of that city. She alleges that they were married May 8, 1902, at Alexandria, and that since May of the same year her husband has failed to support her.

EXCURSION.

The moonlight excursion of the Young Men's Sodality Lyceum on the Jamestown tonight promises to be a great success, judging from the number of tickets that have already been sold. It will be a great opportunity to enjoy a cool ride after so much hot weather.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is especially good for piles. Recommended and sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

You don't have to go to Washington for all the new dainty features in fine footwear. Look our stock over and be convinced. We have all the new styles. J. A. Marshall & Bro.

NOTICE—COAL AT BOTTOM SUMMER PRICES.

Take advantage of the low price and buy your coal before the advance. Will be pleased to have your order now. Both 'phones.

DEW. AITCHESON,
apr22 107 south Royal street

FOR SALE—any part of $10,000 city of Alexandria four per cent bonds dated July 1, 1908. Apply at CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK. jy13 3t

WANTED.

Four FEATHER BEDS. Highest cash price paid. Address G, care Gazette office. jy14 10t*

WANTED.—A WHITE WOMAN to cook for a family of four.

F. M. ADAMS,
jy14 3t Wolfe and Columbus Streets.

SWAN BROS.

Corner King and Pitt Streets.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JULY 15,

We begin our big Annual Midsummer Clearance Sale. Summer goods in all departments are reduced to quick selling prices At no time of the year can you find better bargains than we offer during this Clearance Sale Read the following carefully and respond promptly, as many lots of summer merchandise are limited and will not last long at these prices.

12½c and 15c Percales, yard	10½c
10c Percales, yard	8c
25c Colored Dress Linens, yard	18c
25c Fancy French Ginghams, yard	18c
25c Fancy Silk Ginghams, yard	17c
25c Fancy Dress Voiles, yard	15c
15c Fancy Dress Ginghams, yard	10½c
15c Fancy Shirting Madras, yard	10½c
7c and 8c Light and Dark Calico, yd	6c
One lot 12½c Fancy Dress Ginghams, yd	9½c
12½c Flowered Organdies, yard	8c
15c Fancy Butcher's Cotton for suits, yd	11c
15c Colored Cannon Cloths, yard	11c
25c and 35c White Madras, yard	11c
10c White India Linen, yard	8c
10c Persian Lawn, yard	7½c
12½c Persian Lawns, yard	9½c
20c Persian Lawns, yard	14c
$1.50 Long black and white Silk Gloves, pair	98c
$1.00 Long white, grey, tan and black Lisle Gloves, pair	69c
Babies' 50c Mull Caps, each	35c
Babies' 25c Mull Caps, each	18c
Children's 50c White Wash Hats	35c
One Ladies' Black Net Waist, size 36, reduced from $10.00 to	$6.49
One Ladies' White Net Waist, size 36, reduced from $10.00 to	$6.98
$2.25 black and white China Silk Wash Waists, each	$1.69
$2.50 black and white China Silk Wash Waists, each	$1.89
$5.00 black and white China Silk Waists, each	$3.49
$3.50 White Taffeta Silk Waists, each	$2.69
50c White Lawn Waists, each	35c
$1.00 " " " "	69c
$1.50 " " " "	$1.15
50c Gingham Underskirts, each	35c
50c Black Underskirts, each	43c
$1.25 Voile Dress Skirts each	85c
Ten dozen Boys' 25c Colored Waists and Blouses, each	15c
98c Summer Curtains, pair	69c
$1.50 " " "	98c
$1.50 Black Lawn Waists, each	$1.10
98c and $1.25 Sailor Hats, each	49c
50c and 75c " " "	39c
50c dark lawn Dressing Sacques, each	35c

$1.25 Black Sateen Underskirts, trimmed with embroidery, each	98c
Children's 25c colored Sun Bonnets, ea.	15c
Ladies' $22.50 black taffeta silk Jumper Suits, now	$14.49
Ladies' $12.50 black taffeta silk Jumper Suits, now	$8.98
Ladies' brown and blue striped Silk Suits reduced from $9.50 to	$6.75
Ladies' $6.98 blue, pink and white Princess Dresses, now	$4.98

Ladies' Wash Suits Greatly Reduced.

Ladies' $6.50 motor cloth Wash Suits now	$4.49
Ladies' $7.50 Kahki Wash Suits now	$4.49
Ladies' $5.00 linen finish Wash Suits each	$3.75
Ladies' $5.00 white linen finish Wash Suits now	$2.98
Ladies' $4.50 fancy organdy Jumper Suits now	$2.75
Ladies' $3.49 fancy organdy Jumper Suits now	$1.98

Wash Jackets Reduced.

Ladies' $3.49 white linen finish Jackets now	$2.39
Ladies' $4.25 white linen finish Jackets now	$2.75
Ladies' $6.50 white linen finish Jackets now	$4.49
One Ladies' $6.50 fine white mercerized sateen Pajama Suits now	$3.69
One Ladies' $12.50 black taffeta silk Dress Skirt now	$8.98
One Ladies' $15.00 black voile Dress Skirt reduced to	$9.98

Children's Wash Dresses Reduced.

Children's $3.50 Gingham Dresses now	$2.39
" $2.98 " " "	2.15
" $2.25 " " "	1.75
" $1.98 " " "	1.49

Childrens Wash Dresses REDUCED.

Children's $1.50 Gingham Dresses now	1.10
" $1.25 " " "	89c
" $1.00 " " "	8c
" 50c " " "	39c
" 25c " " "	19c

Children's White Lawn Dresses Reduced.

$4.50 quality now	$3.50
3.49 " "	2.49
2.98 " "	1.98
2.25 " "	1.89
1.98 " "	1.39
1.50 " "	1.15
1.25 " "	98c
98c " "	85c
75c " "	59c

Boys' Fancy Kilt Suits Reduced.

Boys' $2.50 Kilt Suits now	$1.98
" 2.25 " " "	1.75
" 1.98 " " "	1.49
" 1.50 " " "	1.15
" 1.00 " " "	85c

Ladies' Parasols Reduced.

One Ladies' Black Taffeta Silk Parasol, reduced from $3.98 to	$2.75
Ladies' $3.25 fancy Parasols	$2.75
Ladies' $2.50 " "	$1.75
Ladies' $3.25 " "	$1.49
Ladies' $1.98 " "	$1.35
Ladies' $1.50 " "	$1.10
Ladies' $1.25 " "	98c
35c Fancy Sash Ribbon, yard	22c
50c Fancy Sash Ribbon, 6 in. wide, yard	35c

Mattings Reduced.

By the roll of 40 yards.

$11.98 China Mattings, roll	$9.98
$10.50 China Mattings, roll	$9.25
$9.25 China Mattings, roll	$8.25
$7.50 China Mattings, roll	$6.49

Big Clearance Sale of Men's Furnishings : : :

This is the season of the year we clear out all broken lots of summer goods in our Men's Department. All old lots and broken sizes of underwear are brought forward and sold at cost. Good bargains in shirts, hosiery, neckties, etc.

Men's 50c white Setsnug Undershirts and Drawers, each	39c
Men's 50c Blue and Black Balbriggan Undershirts and Drawers, each	35c
Men's $1.00 Fancy Neglige Shirts, each	69c
Men's $1.00 light office Coats, each	75c

Clearance Sale of Silk Four in Hands.

25c Silk Neck Ties, each	15c
50c Silk Neck Ties, each	35c
$1.00 Silk Neck Ties, each	69c
$1.50 Silk Neck Ties, each	98c
Men's $1.00 B. V. D. Underwear, reduced to	75c

A Great Shirt Bargain

We have just received two cases of Men's Fine Shirts bought to sell at 69c. Owing to their late arrival we are going to close the lot out at, each 50c

25c Wash Ties	15c
Men's 15c Fancy Hose, pair	9c
Men's 25c Fancy Hose, pair	19c
Men's 50c Fancy Hose, pair	35c
Men's 25c Leather Belts	19c
Men's 50c Leather Belts	35c
Men's $1.00 Leather Belts	69c
Men's 75c B. V. D. Nainsook Under Coat Shirts and Knee Drawers, reduced to	59c
Men's 75c Bathing Suits	49c
Men's 25c Caps	15c
Men's 50c Caps	35c
Men's $3.00 Madras Pajamarites, the comfortable one-piece sleeping garment, reduced to suit	$1.50
One metal covered Trunk, reduced from $2.19 to	$1.39
One large $15 Trunk, very handsome and strong, reduced to	$10.50
One ladies' very fine Cowhide Suit Case, satin lined, with fittings, reduced from $15 to	$10.50
One lot good heavy and strong Suit Cases, reduced from $1.98 to	$1.49

Big Special Remnant Sale Thursday as Usual.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy Would Have Saved Him $100,00.

"In 1902 I had a very severe attack of diarrhoea," says R. N. Farrar of Cat Island, La. "For several weeks I was unable to do anything. On March, 18, 1907, I had a similar attack, and took Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which gave me prompt relief. I consider it one of the best medicines of its kind in the world, and had I used it in 1902 believe it would have saved me a hundred dollar doctor's bill." Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co. and Richard Gibson.

Tans are the real thing for spring wear. We handle the swellest line in town. Our motto, high grade, low prices. J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

So far 657 dog licenses have been issued.

The City Council meets tonight and will probably adjourn for the session.

Mr. W. T. Lloyd has sold to Mr. Harry B. Richards house and lot No. 208 Wolfe street.

M. D. Corse Camp, Sons of Confederate Veterans, met last night but transacted no business of general interest.

The fare from Potomac to Alexandria on the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway has been reduced to 5 cents, to take effect July 15.

The city auditor received by mail today through one of the banks an acceptance of $12,500, this being the entire amount of bonds of 1879 held by one Alexandria firm.

Lieut. Dent, of the army engineers, in charge of the improvements on the Potomac river, will establish harbor lines along the water front of this city, under an allotment of $500, made for that purpose by the chief of engineers.

When the thermometer stares you in the face registering 96° and you feel like jumping in the river in order to get rid of the heat you can find a cool and pleasant spot at the Alexandria Amusement Company. "A Fool and His Money are Soon Parted" will be the attraction for tonight.

Some excitement was created in the southeastern section of the city late yesterday evening by a report that a young man living in the neighborhood who had been in ill-health for a long time was about to commit suicide by drowning himself. The young man never reached the river, however.

Select Annapolis Hard Shell Crabs, steamed daily at the Opera House Cafe, 40c per dozen.

Fried Clams 30c dozen. Vegetable soup Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; clam soup Monday, Wednesday and Friday. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. mar5 tf

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently upon the bowels and thereby drives the colds out of the system. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

$2.50, $3, and $3.50 Ladies' Shoes, in black and tan, low and high cuts mostly small sizes, offered for a few day only at 79 cents. J. A. Marshall & Bro.

NOTICE.—Regular meeting of ALEXANDRIA NEST of OWLS Tuesday night at 8 o'clock sharp. JOS. H. WEST, Secretary.

CHINA, GLASS AND HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS.

Big Summer Reduction Sale

10 per cent discount on all Window Screens and Screen Doors.

25 per cent discount on all Refrigerators.

Pic Nic Supplies

Wooden Plates, 5c dozen
Paper Napkins, 10c per 100
Wax paper, 5c per dozen sheets

ELLIOTT'S,

Cor. Pitt and King Sts.

JEWELERS

Fine Diamonds Watches Jewelry

WE spare no effort to maintain quality and reasonable prices.

R. C. Acton & Sons.

Silver Cut Glass
Hand Painted China

WANTED—Servire in the wardroom of the U. S. S. Yankee, three MEN ATTENDANTS. Pay to begin $22 a month and board and uniforms. Bring references. Apply in forenoon aboard the ship anchored in stream. july14 2t*

LOST.—Either on the 7.30 electric car from Alexandria, July 9, or at Luna Park, a GOLD LINK BRACELET set with three diamonds. Liberal reward will be paid for its return to Mrs. JAMES W. BALES, 1217 King street. jy10 3t

HORSE CHEAP FOR SALE.

Can be seen at HINTON'S SHOP, Corner Payne and Cameron Sts. jy13 3t*

MASON'S P. L. FRUIT JARS. Pints, 70c dozen; quarts, 75c dozen; half gallons, 95c dozen at J. C. MILBURN.

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Ramsay Sells the Best.

PORCELAIN LINED **Glass Jars.**

Pints, 70c per dozen.
Quarts, 80c per dozen.
Half Gallons, 95c per doz.

G. Wm. Ramsay.

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WHEAT BERRIES

7 cents a package.

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C. & C. Belfast,
Mechlenburg,
Amer. Premier,
Clicquot,
Hire's,
Gosman's,
Crystal.

G. Wm. Ramsay.

Potomac Family Roe Herring

Price's Packing
40 Barrels
50 Halves
25 Quarters
75 Kits
25 Pails Herring Roe
25 Cases Canned Herring Roe.

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WE TALK COFFEE

Yes, we talk it, roast it, blend it and sell it. When your grocer gets our freshly roasted coffee every few days is it any wonder it is better than out of town coffees? We encourage our friends to buy in small quantities that the people may get it fresher.

Bon Alpha Our 20c Special **Coffee**

is now established. You have missed a pleasant treat if you have never tried Bon Alpha.

The Alexandria Coffee Co.,

300 South Fairfax Street.

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ROSENFELD'S

Both Phones. One Price to All.

Women's and Children's

Parasols at Less Than Cost.

White Pleated Shirts, 50c,
Boys' Wash Suits reduced.
Women's and Children's Trimmed Hats at half and less.

All Our Dress Skirts are Reduced

All Summer Wash Goods are reduced.
Seamless Sheets, 81x90; reduced to 69c.
72x90 Sheets with seam in center 35c.
66 inch wide Table Damask, handsome designs, full bleached, for this week 35c.
Summer House Slippers for Men, Women and Children, 50c pair; all sizes.

ROSENFELD'S,

518-20 King Street, Alexandria, Va.

The Girl at the Beach

uses good taste when she wears a bracelet with her short sleeves. It looks nice and it is certainly stylish.

If your girl is going to the coast and she hasn't a bracelet, you ought to give her one. She'll think of you much more than usually then. Catch the idea? Then get the bracelet before she goes.

Saunders & Son, 629 King Street.

Moonlight Excursion OF THE **Young Men's Sodality Lyceum**

ON THE STEAMER JAMESTOWN

Tuesday, July 14, 1908

Adults Ticket.....50 cents. Child's Ticket.....25 cents.

jy10 4t

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YOUR GROCER KNOWS "THEY ARE BEST"

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

The Finest of Everything.

BURKE'S

Guinness's Stout

It assimilates perfectly with any kind of food and greatly aids digestion.

Pint Bottles - - 25 cents
Half pint bottles . 15 cents

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Cor. Cameron and Pitt Sts.

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A Fool and His Money are soon parted

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Nephisto's Affinity.
Adventures of Mr. Troubles.

Matinee every day.

Perfection EVAPORATED APPLES, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

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DELICIOUS DEVILED CRABS
STEAMED HARD SHELL CRABS

Little Neck Clams — Cherrystone Oysters
Clams in All Styles — Oysters in All Styles

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RAMMEL CAFES. Both 'Phones.

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B. BAER, Jr.

G. E. WARFIELD, Cashier. — J. J. GREEN, Assistant Cashier

Liabilities.

Capital	$100,000.00
Surplus and Net Profits	185,790 47
Circulation	100,000 00
Deposits	744,667 84
U. S. Deposits	51,152 96
Other Liabilities	2,051 14
	$1,183,662.41

Resources.

Loans and Investments	$820,006 79
U. S. Bonds	152,000 00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	3,000 00
Banking House and Real Estate	26,001 28
Cash	47,961 09
Due from Banks and Reserve Agents	129,693 25
5 Per Cent Redemption Fund	5,000 00
	$1,183,662 41

CORDIAL INVITATION

Is extended to all who wish to open personal, professional, business, trustee or corporation accounts.

The same care is given to the smallest account as to the largest.

Drafts issued DIRECT on all parts of the world.

Investments and collections made.

An attractive rate of interest paid in our SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.

Depositors in the Savings Department of the Alexandria National Bank are requested to bring their books in and have their interest due April 1, 1908, credited therein.

Others who have not opened account with our Savings Department are invited to open accounts and note how rapidly their funds will increase by regular deposit and interest earned.

Alexandria National Bank,

CORNER OF KING AND ROYAL STREETS,
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

FINANCIAL.

An investment you wish to make, rest assured the safest investment you can possibly make is to deposit your money in the Savings Department of this corporation where it will earn 3 per cent. interest compounded twice a year. Your principal will then be always at your command and cannot depreciate in value. You can start an account with this corporation for $1.00 or upwards. If you have other investments in view isn't it advisable to have your MONEY MAKING MONEY while you are deciding this matter. There's many a $1 or $5 bill spent unnecessarily because it is carried in the pocket, when a savings account would have discouraged or prevented the expenditure. A bank account is not only a convenience, but a great encourager of economy, so why not commence right and open an account with us today. We invite you to do so and promise courteous and liberal treatment consistent with sound banking methods.

Virginia Safe Deposit and Trust Corporation,

Capital Paid In, $300,000.
Authorized Capital, $1,000,000.

LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 3rd day of July, 1908.

Gertrude B. Weaver vs. Schuyler D. Weaver } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant a divorce from the bond of matrimony from the defendant and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Schuyler D. Weaver, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—TESTE
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
L. H. Machen, p. q. jy6 w4w m

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A good thing to use after washing your hair—NICKLIN'S HAIR TONIC, 25 cents. Manufactured by
E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

The Son's Answer.

After his son's great success with the "Dame aux Camelias" Alexandre Dumas wrote to him as though a stranger, congratulating him on the book and expressing a desire to make the author's acquaintance. "I myself am a literary man," said he in conclusion, "and you may have heard my name as the author of 'Monte Cristo.'"

Dumas fils was equal to the occasion. He wrote immediately in reply, expressing the great pleasure he would have in making his correspondent's acquaintance, principally on account of the high terms in which he had always heard his father speak of the author of "Monte Cristo."

Before Going Elsewhere.

"Good morning, Mr. Highprice!" greeted the friend, entering Mr. Highprice's furniture store. "I saw your ad. in the newspaper saying that you would be pleased to have your friends call in on you before going elsewhere to buy, so I thought I'd call."

"Very good!" returned the appreciative Mr. Highprice, rubbing his hands. "Now, what can I sell you?"

"Nothing. I told you I was going elsewhere."—Pearson's.

A Forgetmenot.

Cltiman—You ought to know something about flora and that sort of thing. Tell me, what is a "forgetmenot?" Subbubs—Why, it's a piece of string that your wife ties around your finger when you go in town on an errand.—Philadelphia Press.

Conceded Fitness.

"This 'Gates Ajar' design is a handsome one," said the tombstone man.

"It is just what I want," said the widow. "He never shut a door in all our married life without being told."—Indianapolis Journal.

Over Thirty-five Years.

In 1872 there was a great deal of diarrhoea, dysentery and cholera infantum. It was at this time that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was first brought into use. It proved more successful than any other remedy or treatment, and has for thirty-five years maintained that record. From a small beginning its sale and use has extended to every part of the United States and to many foreign countries. Nine druggists out of ten will recommend it when their opinion is asked, although they have other medicines that pay them a greater profit. It can always be depended upon, even in the most severe and dangerous cases. For sale by W. F. Creighton & Co. and Richard Gibson.

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NEW PRUNES and EVAPORATED PEACHES just received by
J. C. MILBURN.

Alexandria Gazette.

TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 14, 1908

Our Bodies Are Machines.

How many people, I wonder, ever pause to consider that their bodies are merely machines to do work, furnaces in which necessary fuel is burned, workshops in which wornout parts are supplied and storerooms in which fuel and food are laid away for use when needed? Further, like any other piece of apparatus, the body works better under certain circumstances. Its fires burn better with fuels of certain sorts, mixed in certain proportions, and it cannot keep in perfect condition unless furnished with proper materials. Man thinks he eats because he is hungry; he really eats because his body is crying out for building materials with which to repair the waste that is always going on and for fuel to keep itself warm, and it is rather "finicky" as to the supply it wants for each of these purposes. At a pinch it can use almost anything digestible for either, but it groans and complains and punishes its unfortunate possessor if it is not properly treated.—Crittenden Marriott in St. Nicholas.

Drawing Room.

A curious and regrettable revival of the word "draw" in the sense of "withdraw" occurs in "drawing room." Here the original meaning of the word is lost because of its lamentable pronunciation by the uneducated. Nobody, hearing it mentioned as "droying room" at its best or as "droring room" at its worst," would suspect it of being a room to which to withdraw for relaxation. Most words of the kind, though, have no better claim to our admiration, and many have a worse one to our sense of language. "Parlor" is an ugly growth from the old monasterial "parloir," or room where speaking was allowed, and "boudoir," that early Victorian expression of gentility, began by being a room to sulk in. "Sitting room" is a strange instance of the confusion of cause and effect, and so is "living room." We come back to "drawing room" as to honest words, at least.—London Notes and Queries.

Du Maurier and the Fenian Leader.

When John O'Leary, the Fenian leader, was released from prison in 1870 after spending five of the twenty years to which he was condemned for a felony he went to Paris, where he spent the next fifteen years of his exile. The revolutionary leader used to tell how when crossing in the packet to France he met Du Maurier, then a young man, going to Paris to study art. They became warm friends, lodging together in the same building, where they became acquainted with two other artists, whom Du Maurier afterward made famous in his popular story "Trilby" as The Laird and The Baronet. It was to O'Leary, who had been a medical student in Paris long before he threw in his fortunes with the Fenian movement, that Du Maurier owed his first glimpse of bohemian life in the French capital.—Westminster Gazette.

It Was All Right.

They had evidently been quarreling before entering the Sutter street car at the ferry.

"I would thank you, Mr. Johnson, not to sit by me!" she said icily.

"Oh, Lucy, I'll never go with her again—never, never, dearie!"

Gradually the harsh tones melted to soft, endearing phrases. The car had become very crowded. It stopped at Van Ness.

The conductor, wedging among passengers midway of the aisle, could not see the rear steps. With his hand on the bell cord, he suddenly yelled:

"How is it back there now?"

"It's all right. We've made up again," impulsively responded the young man.

"Oh, Willard, he didn't mean us!"—San Francisco Chronicle.

Too Much Curiosity.

A dangerous operation was being performed upon a woman. Old Dr. A., a quaint German, full of kindly wit and professional enthusiasm, had several younger doctors with him. One of them was administering the ether. He became so interested in the old doctor's work that he withdrew the cone from the patient's nostrils, and she half roused and rose to a sitting posture, looking with wild eyed amazement over the surroundings. It was a critical period, and Dr. A. did not want to be interrupted. "Lay down, dere, woman," he commanded gruffly. "You haf more curiosity as a medical student."

The Result.

A nervous passenger on the first day of the outward voyage importuned the captain to know what would be the result if the steamer should strike an iceberg while it was plunging through the fog. "The iceberg would move right along, madam," the captain replied courteously, "just as if nothing had happened." And the old lady was greatly relieved.

The Minister's Text.

A little girl came home from church the other day and was asked what the minister's text was. "Don't be afraid, and I will get you a bedquilt," was the astonishing answer.

Investigation proved that the central thought of the sermon had been, "Fear not, and I will send you a comforter."—Technical World.

Only a Dream.

Wife—I dreamed last night that I was in a shop that was simply full of the loveliest bonnets, and— Husband (hastily)—But that was only a dream, my dear. Wife—I knew that before I woke up, because you bought one for me.

Kept a Good Table.

Brown—Keeps a good table, does she not? Robinson—Excellent. Solid oak. Has had it for years.—New York Tribune.

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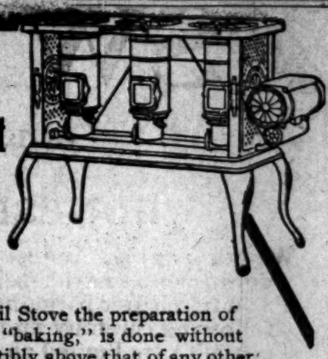

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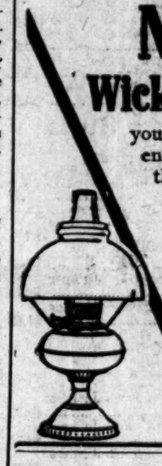

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AUCTION SALE.

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AUCTION SALE OF A DESIRABLE HOUSE AND LOT ON SOUTH ROYAL STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Pursuant to the terms of a decree rendered by the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on July 2, 1908, in the chancery cause entitled Rosa Butt, et vir., vs. Henrietta Jenkins, et als., therein depending, the undersigned, who by the terms of said decree was appointed Special Commissioner for the purpose, will offer for sale at public auction, in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building in this city, at 12 o'clock noon, on

SATURDAY, July 18, 1908,

all that lot of ground improved by a dwelling house known as 122 south Royal street, Alexandria, Virginia, situated on the east side of Royal street, between Prince and King streets, and bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning on the east side of Royal street eighty-four feet seven inches north of Prince street, and running thence north on Royal street twenty-three feet, six inches; thence east parallel with Prince street one hundred and thirteen feet, five inches, more or less, to an alley leading into Prince street; thence south on said alley twenty-three feet, six inches; and thence west in a direct line one hundred and thirteen feet, five inches, more or less, to the beginning, with the right of way over said alley in common with others entitled thereto, and all rights and appurtenances to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Terms of sale: One-third in cash and the balance in six and twelve months, the deferred payments to bear interest at six per cent. per annum, and to be evidenced by the notes of the purchaser, and the title to be retained until all the purchase money is paid; or, at the option of the purchaser, all cash may be paid. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser. GARDNER L. BOOTHE,
Commissioner of Sale.

I, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, do hereby certify that Gardner L. Boothe, Special Commissioner of Sale, as above set forth, has entered into bond with approved security conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties, in accordance with the terms of the above-mentioned decree.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
jy3 td Clerk.

R. F. Knox, auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF ASSIGNment made by Samuel Mills, jr., and wife, bearing date on the 19th day of May, 1908, recorded in the land records of the city of Alexandria, Virginia in deed book No. 57, page 184, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale at public auction, on

SATURDAY,

the 1st day of August, 1908, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market building, the following described property, situated in the said city of Alexandria, and bounded as follows, to wit:

1st. Beginning on the north side of Oronoco street 52 feet, 4 inches west of Alfred street, and running thence west on Oronoco street 19 feet, 9½ inches to the east wall of a brick building; thence north parallel to Alfred street 100 feet to an alley 10 feet wide; thence east on said alley 19 feet, 9½ inches, and thence south in a direct line 100 feet to the beginning, with the right of way over the said alley.

2nd. Beginning on the north side of Oronoco street 163 feet, 5 inches west of Alfred street, and running thence west on Oronoco street 20 feet; thence north parallel to Alfred street 100 feet to an alley 10 feet wide; thence east on said alley 20 feet, and thence south in a direct line 100 feet to the beginning, with the right of way over the said alley.

The above described property is improved with a modern bakery in good condition with a daily capacity of 2,500 loaves.

Terms of sale: Cash.

DOUGLASS STUART,
jy13 td Trustee.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST bearing date on the 7th day of May, 1906, and recorded in the land records of Fairfax county, Virginia, in deed book No. 6, page 629, made by Ella Dobson, and at the request of the party thereby secured, default having been made in the payment of the notes secured by the said deed of trust, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale at public auction, in front of the premises, on

SATURDAY,

the 1st day of August, 1908, at 3 o'clock p. m., the following described property situated in New Alexandria, Fairfax county, Virginia, and described as follows, to wit:

Lots numbered 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block numbered 31, in the subdivision of New Alexandria, as shown upon a plat thereof, duly of record in the land records of the said county of Fairfax in deed book U, No. 5, page 254; together with all rights and appurtenances.

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PROPOSALS.—Proposals will be received until noon, July 15th, and then opened, for the erection of the Lee School Building, Alexandria, Va.

Proposals must be addressed to Mr. Chas. M. Robison, architect, and placed in the hands of Dr. Wm. M. Smith, chairman of the building committee of the Alexandria School Board. Drawings and specifications can be had from Dr Wm. M. Smith, 207 south Washington street. The building committee reserve the right to reject any and all bids and to accept any bid that may seem best to the interest of the School Board, and reserve the right to extend the time of receiving bids.

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Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7.10 and 10 30 a. m., and 3 20 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

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SPECIAL MEETING NOTICE—The undersigned being the holders of more than one-tenth of the capital stock of the SUBURBAN HOMES COMPANY, Incorporated, hereby give notice that there will be a special meeting of the stockholders of said company held at its principal office, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on SATURDAY, the 25th day of July, 1908, at 10 30 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of ratifying a certain contract entered into between said company and Mr. Otway B. Zantzinger; and further, because of the failure to have called and held in February, 1908, the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the company as provided by its by-laws, at this special meeting officers and directors of the company will be elected for the current year.

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